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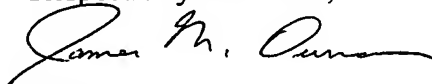
1 dependent upon claim 49, has been amended to change its dependency to claim 48.

2 Independent claim 55 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 56, which
3 the Examiner notes would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 56 has therefore
4 been canceled. Claim 57 is amended to change its dependency from claim 56 to claim 55. Claim
5 57 has also been corrected to correct the reference to "the battery storage compartment", which
6 has no antecedent basis, to "a battery storage compartment". Claim 58 has been amended to
7 change its dependency from claim 55 to claim 57. Claims 59 through 66 are dependent upon
8 claim 55, and therefore incorporate the limitations of claim 55, as amended.

9 Applicant respectfully submits that this submission is fully responsive to the January 24,
10 2006 Office Action, and these claims are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a Notice of
11 Allowance at an early date is therefore requested.

12 If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this
13 application, please telephone the undersigned at (661)395-1000.

14 Respectfully submitted,

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